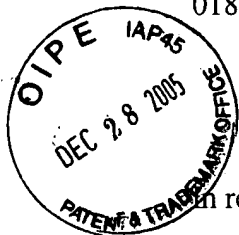01807.000924   <u>PATENT</u>

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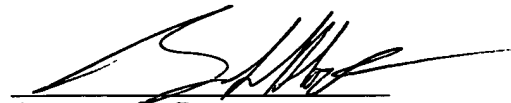
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